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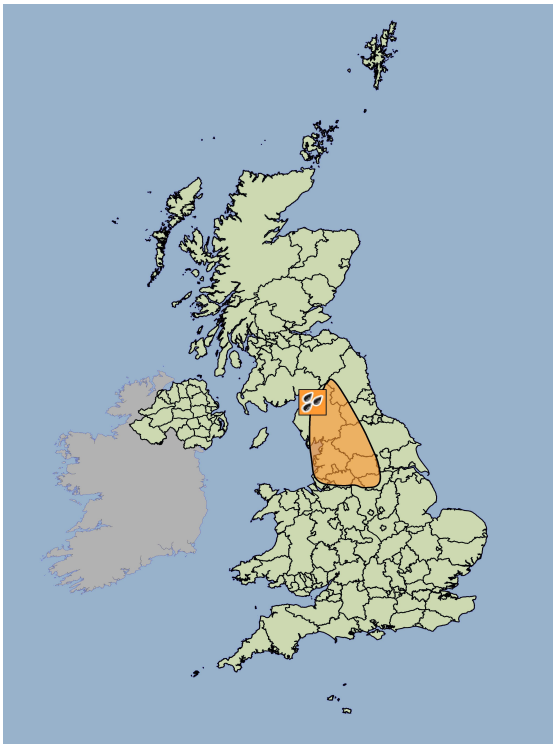

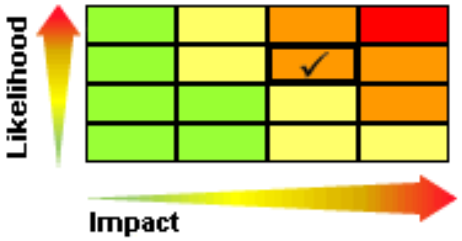

Chief Forecasters Assessment
The earlier thunderstorms have cleared to the north and east, but temperatures are rising and further thunderstorms are likely to break out across northern England later this afternoon and through the evening. Some places will escape the thunderstorms, but where they do occur, there is the potential for 40-60 mm of rain to fall in less than 3 hours.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **16:45 on Tue, 23rd Jul 2013** until **23:00 on Tue, 23rd Jul 2013**

Thunderstorms giving localised downpours and large hail are expected to develop across northern England during the latter part of the afternoon and through the evening.

The public should be prepared for disruption due to localised flooding.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 14:33 on Tue, 23rd Jul 2013

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